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Sir:

This is a reply to the Office Action mailed on December 16, 2002.

Remarks

Claims 1-24 remain pending in this application after entry of this paper. The Examiner has rejected claims 1-8, 11-19, and 22-24 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Weiser (U.S. 5,982,520) in view of Teicher (U.S. 5,744,787). The Examiner has rejected claims 9 and 20 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Weiser in view of Teicher further in view of Taylor (U.S. 5,578,808). The Examiner has rejected claims 10 and 21 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Weiser in view of Teicher further in view of Chen (U.S. 5,694,471). Applicant believes that the invention is patentable.

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